

# **Nikolai Raymond**

**Certified Flight Instructor (CFI)**

**Certified Flight Instructor Instrument (CFII)**

**Qualified in: C172 Skyhawk C172 (180hp) C182 Skylane**

Nikolai grew up in Grandview, Washington and as soon as he graduated high school in 2018, he immediately started his flight training at Big Bend Community College in Moses Lake, WA.

Nikolai embraces the challenge that comes with flying and aims to make every flight a safe and enjoyable experience! He believes that there is joy to be found whenever you are flying and would love to help anyone else experience that too.

When he is not flying, he loves to escape to the mountains and go camping where there are miles of trails for him to explore on his dirt bike.

Nikolai's favorite quote is by Edward Rickenbacker: "Aviation is proof that given the will, we have the capacity to achieve the impossible."